College Region 10 - Northern Lights

Statistical Profile of Aboriginal Peoples 2011

First Nations People Compared to the Metis Population

With Emphasis on Labour Market and Post Secondary Issues

Notes and definitions:

Random rounding. To ensure confidentiality, the values, including totals, are randomly rounded either up or down to a multiple of '5' or '10.' To understand these data, you must be aware that each individual value is rounded. As a result, when these data are summed or grouped, the total value may not match the individual values since totals and sub-totals are independently rounded. Similarly, percentages, which are calculated on rounded data, may not necessarily add up to 100%.

Definitions. For definitions of terms used in this report please refer to http://www12.statcan.ca/nhs-enm/2011/ref/dict/index-eng.cfm. For information regarding incompletely enumerated Indian Reserves see http://www12.statcan.ca/nhs-enm/2011/ref/guides/99-011-x/99-011-x2011006-eng.cfm#a6.

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GEOGRAPHICAL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011 (Part 1)

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

INCORPORATED PLACES	2011 POPULATION[1] TOTAL NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] % OF TOTAL	DENSITY POP PER KM²	2011 YOUTH POPULATION (AGE 15-24) TOTAL NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] % OF TOTAL	POST SECONDARY MAIN, REGIONAL OR SATELLITE CAMPUS
Fort St. John	19,450	2,120	11.5	813.2	2,935	435	14.8	Y
Dawson Creek	11,240	1,650	14.7	461.3	1,715	330	19.2	Y
Northern Rockies	4,975	690	13.9	0.1	730	155	21.2	Y
Tumbler Ridge	2,810	360	12.5	1.8	410	125	30.5	Y
Chetwynd	2,500	315	12.1	41.2	370	65	17.6	Y
Taylor	1,405	180	12.8	82.2	180	55	30.3	
Hudson's Hope	960	165	17.2	1.2	130	35	26.9	Y
Indian Reserves	2,330	2,365	101.5	10.3	405	400	1.0	
Unorganized Area	52,870	60,685	114.8		5,500	7,135	129.7	
Total Region	66,055	34,000	50.5		9,630	4,910	52.6	
Total BC	4,324,455	2,125,625	49.2		549,720	283,090	51.5	
Region as % of BC	1.5	1.6			1.8	1.7		

INDIAN RESERVES	2011 POPULATION[1] ON RESERVE** TOTAL NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] % OF TOTAL	DENSITY POP PER KM²	2011 YOUTH POPULATION (AGE 15-24) TOTAL NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] NUMBER	ABORIGINAL[1] % OF TOTAL
LARGEST INDIAN RESERVES (BAND NAME)							
Fort Nelson 2	445	415	93.3	4.9	90	85	94.4
East Moberly Lake 169	320	310	96.9	10.3	55	55	100.0
Fort Ware 1	290	290	100.0	65.1	45	40	88.9
Blueberry River 205	270	270	100.0	15.3	35	40	114.3
Iskut 6	210	200	95.2	361.5	25	25	100.0
Halfway River 168	165	165	100.0	4.1	25	30	120.0
Gunaxtwa Tah 12	165	155	93.9	532.1	20	25	125.0
Prophet River 4	130	125	96.2	29.6	20	20	100.0
Inganika Point	105	100	95.2	18.6	15	15	100.0
Lower Post	100	95	95.0	139.4	10	10	100.0
West Moberly Lake 168A	65	65	100.0	3.4	20	15	75.0
Liard River 3	60	60	100.0	16.8	15	15	100.0
Diese Lake 9	50	50	100.0	47.5	10	10	100.0
Five Mile Point 3	55	50	90.9	5.5	*	*	
Total Region Indian Reserves**	2,330	2,365	101.5	10.3	405	400	1.0
IR Population as a % of Region	1.8%	3.9%			2.5%	4.3%	
BC TOTAL	70,800	52,225	73.8	10.3	11,070	9,980	91.1

[1] Non-institutional population

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** Excludes incompletely enumerated Indian Reserves. Saik'uz has no reserves.

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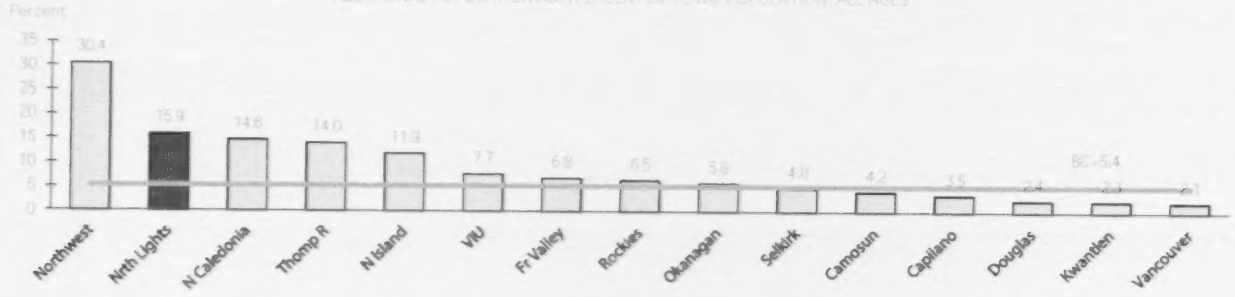
GEOGRAPHIC PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011 (Part 2)

College Region 10 : Northern Lights

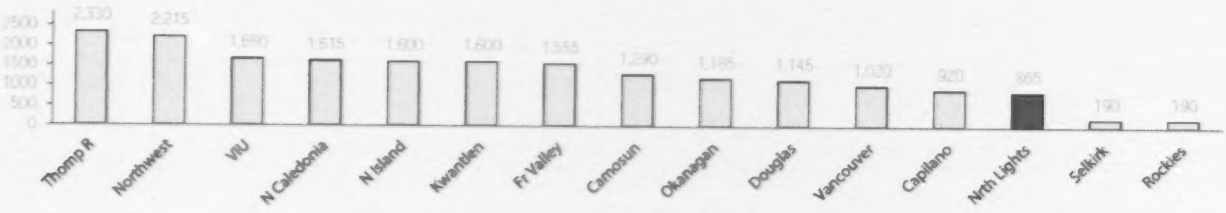
WHAT IS THE ABORIGINAL REPRESENTATION BY REGION?

ABORIGINAL POPULATION AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION, ALL AGES



WHERE DOES THE PRIME COLLEGE-AGE ABORIGINAL POPULATION LIVE?

NUMBER OF FIRST NATIONS YOUTH AGE 19 TO 24 (BC=19,335)



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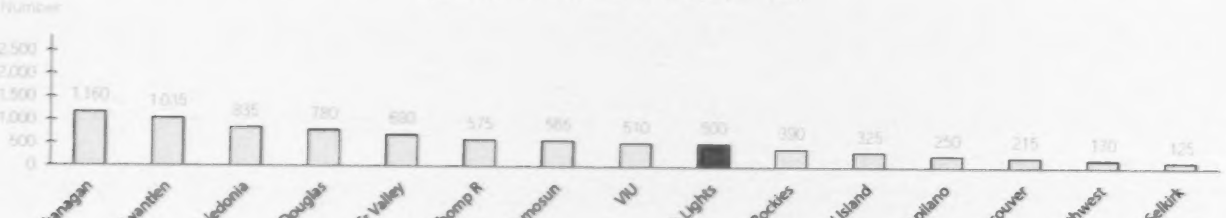
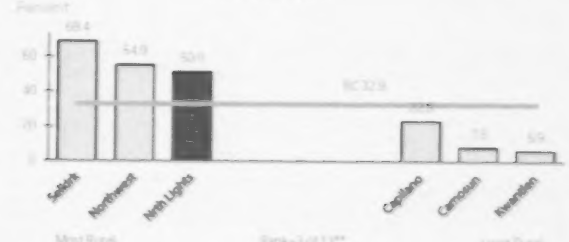


URBAN OR RURAL?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS % RURAL	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS % RURAL	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS % RURAL	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS % RURAL	B.C.
POPULATION								
Total - all ages	60.4	37.1	32.7	21.3	52.3	31.9	39.2	12.9
Under age 18	61.1	36.2	34.1	22.1	52.5	31.1	41.8	12.5
Age 18-24	50.9	32.9	29.0	18.2	44.0	29.2	32.6	9.5
Age 25-64	64.9	38.3	32.6	22.2	53.6	32.6	38.0	12.9
Age 65+	76.2	47.5	35.0	27.0	61.4	37.6	47.9	15.1

% OF ABORIGINAL YOUTH AGE 15-24 RESIDING IN RURAL AREAS

FIRST NATIONS



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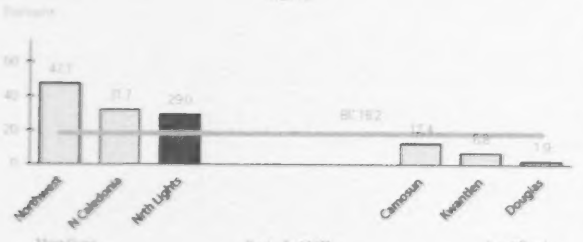

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AGE STRUCTURE PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

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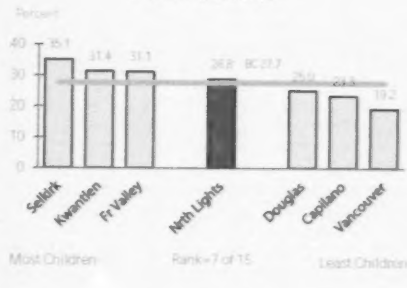
WHAT'S THE AGE MIX?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES									NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS			METIS			TOTAL				
	NRTH LIGHTS #	NRTH LIGHTS % DIST	B.C. % DIST	NRTH LIGHTS #	NRTH LIGHTS % DIST	B.C. % DIST	NRTH LIGHTS #	NRTH LIGHTS % DIST	B.C. % DIST	NRTH LIGHTS % DIST	B.C. % DIST
POPULATION											
Total	6,540	100.0	100.0	3,595	100.0	100.0	10,490	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under age 15	1,885	28.8	27.7	885	24.6	23.0	2,895	27.6	26.1	19.9	15.1
Age 15-17	435	6.7	6.2	230	6.4	6.1	665	6.3	6.1	4.0	3.7
Age 18-24	865	13.2	12.5	500	13.9	11.7	1,410	13.4	12.2	9.5	8.7
Age 18-19	230	3.5	3.9	180	5.0	3.7	415	4.0	3.9	2.6	2.4
Age 20-24	640	9.8	8.6	320	8.9	7.9	995	9.5	8.4	6.9	6.3
Age 25-34	935	14.3	13.1	585	16.3	13.2	1,590	15.2	13.1	15.5	12.9
Age 35-64	2,115	32.3	34.8	1,195	33.2	39.1	3,420	32.6	36.2	41.8	44.2
Age 65+	315	4.8	5.7	200	5.6	7.0	505	4.8	6.2	9.2	15.4
Males - total	3,345	100.0	100.0	1,910	100.0	100.0	5,415	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under age 18	1,310	39.2	35.7	600	31.4	31.0	1,945	35.9	34.1	22.6	19.8
Age 18-24	470	14.1	13.4	275	14.4	12.3	750	13.9	12.1	9.8	9.0
Age 25-34	495	14.8	12.8	250	13.1	12.7	805	14.9	12.8	15.5	12.9
Age 35-64	950	28.4	33.1	625	32.7	37.5	1,625	30.0	34.4	43.0	42.5
Age 65+	130	3.9	5.0	160	8.4	6.6	285	5.3	5.5	9.1	14.7
Females - total	3,195	100.0	100.0	1,680	100.0	100.0	5,075	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under age 18	1,010	31.6	32.2	515	30.7	27.2	1,620	31.9	30.5	25.3	17.7
Age 18-24	395	12.4	11.6	225	13.4	11.1	660	13.0	11.4	9.3	8.4
Age 25-34	445	13.9	13.4	335	19.9	13.7	785	15.5	13.3	15.6	12.9
Age 25-64	1,160	36.3	36.4	670	33.9	40.6	1,795	35.4	37.9	40.5	44.9
Age 65+	185	5.8	6.4	40	2.4	7.4	220	4.3	6.8	9.3	16.1

A RELATIVELY YOUTHFUL POPULATION?

UNDER AGE 15 AS PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION

FIRST NATIONS



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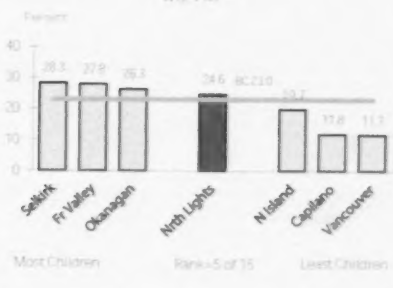

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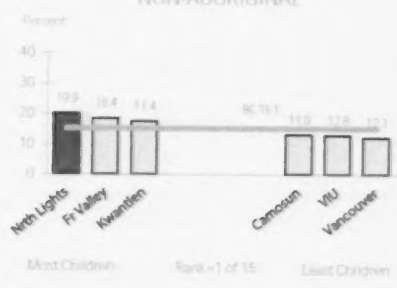
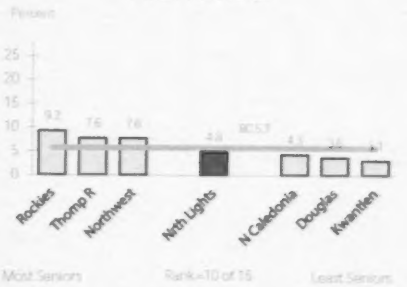


RELATIVELY FEW SENIORS?

AGE 65+ AS PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION

FIRST NATIONS



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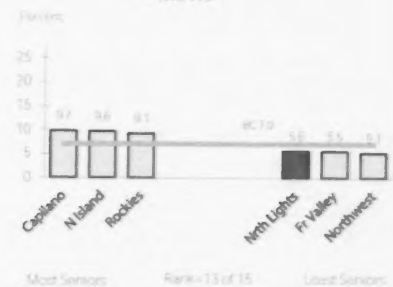

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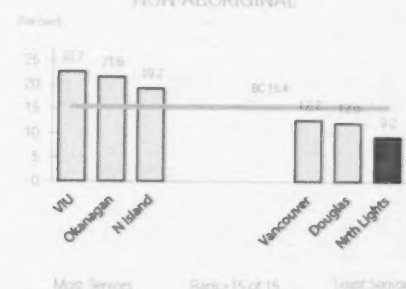

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STATUS & LANGUAGE PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

WHAT IS THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION MIX?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: FIRST NATIONS: NRTH LIGHTS #	FIRST NATIONS: NRTH LIGHTS % DIST.	FIRST NATIONS: B.C. % DIST.	METIS: NRTH LIGHTS #	METIS: NRTH LIGHTS % DIST.	METIS: B.C. % DIST.	TOTAL ABORIGINAL: NRTH LIGHTS #	TOTAL ABORIGINAL: NRTH LIGHTS % DIST.	TOTAL ABORIGINAL: B.C. % DIST.	NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: NRTH LIGHTS	NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: B.C.
BY ABORIGINAL GROUP							10,490	100.0	100.0	n.a.	n.a.
North American Indian[1]							6,540	62.3	66.7		
Metis							3,595	34.3	29.9		
Inuit							40	0.4	0.7		
Multiple aboriginal identities							75	0.7	1.1		
BY BAND MEMBERSHIP							10,490	100.0	100.0	n.a.	n.a.
Band member							4,755	45.3	50.6		
Who are female							2,370	49.8	51.2		
Not a Band Member							5,735	54.7	49.4		
Who are female							2,705	47.2	51.4		
BY REGISTRATION UNDER THE INDIAN ACT							10,490	100.0	100.0	n.a.	n.a.
Registered under the Indian Act - Total							5,365	51.1	52.2		
Under age 18							1,790	33.4	30.8		
Age 18-24							640	11.9	12.4		
Age 24-64							2,680	50.0	50.3		
Age 65+							260	4.8	6.5		
Registered Males							2,740	50.6	52.8		
Under age 18							965	34.9	32.2		
Age 18-24							315	11.5	13.5		
Age 24-64							1,375	50.2	48.8		
Age 65+							95	3.5	5.4		
Registered Females							2,625	51.7	51.6		
Under age 18							835	31.8	29.4		
Age 18-24							320	12.2	11.2		
Age 24-64							1,305	49.7	51.7		
Age 65+							160	6.1	7.6		

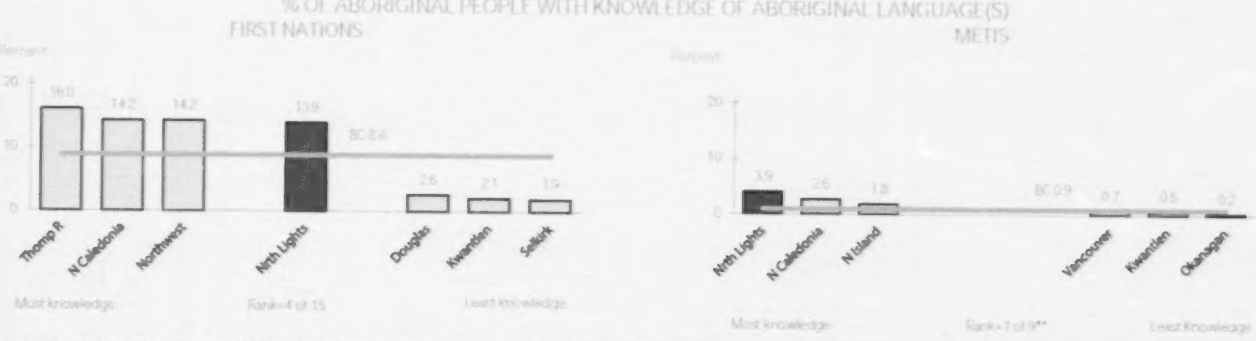
[1] Includes those who did not claim Aboriginal identity but indicated they were either Registered Indians or band members.

% OF ABORIGINAL YOUTH AGE 18 TO 24 WHO ARE REGISTERED UNDER THE INDIAN ACT

ARE LANGUAGES BEING RETAINED?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: FIRST NATIONS: NRTH LIGHTS	FIRST NATIONS: B.C.	METIS: NRTH LIGHTS	METIS: B.C.	TOTAL ABORIGINAL: NRTH LIGHTS	TOTAL ABORIGINAL: B.C.	NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: NRTH LIGHTS	NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: B.C.
ABORIGINAL LANGUAGE								
% With knowledge of aboriginal language(s)	13.9	8.6	3.9	0.9	10.1	6.2	*	*
% Speaking aboriginal language(s) at home	8.1	4.8	2.1	0.4	5.8	3.3	*	*

% OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLE WITH KNOWLEDGE OF ABORIGINAL LANGUAGE(S)



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MOBILITY PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

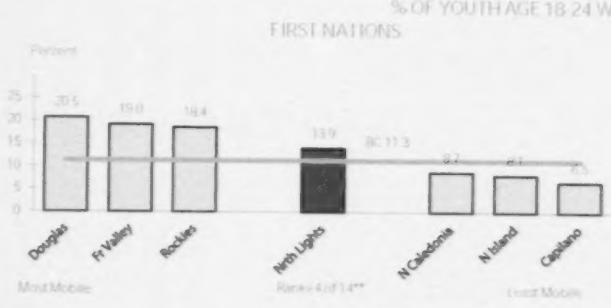
College Region 10 - Northern Lights

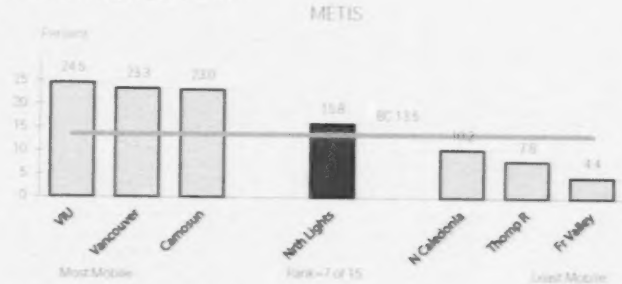
WHO MOVES?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
TOTAL POPULATION[1] (number)	5,900	140,630	3,340	64,550	9,535	212,455	51,410	3,891,740
Migrants[2] in last 5 years (number)	870	27,645	665	14,625	1,565	43,860	17,195	822,480
% of population who are migrants[2]	14.7	19.7	19.9	22.7	16.4	20.6	21.8	21.1
% Moved within same Regional District	4.4	6.7	6.7	6.3	5.1	6.6	4.5	6.3
% Moved from another Regional District	6.0	9.6	6.4	10.2	6.2	9.7	8.3	5.4
% Moved from another province or beyond	4.3	3.4	6.7	6.2	5.1	4.4	8.9	9.5
YOUTH AGE 18-24 (number)	865	19,375	505	8,115	1,415	28,405	5,310	356,755
Migrants[2] in last 1 year (number)	120	2,185	80	1,095	205	3,345	815	42,390
% of population who are migrants[2]	13.9	11.3	15.8	13.5	14.5	11.8	15.3	11.9
% Moved within same Regional District	*	3.9	*	4.9	2.1	4.1	3.7	3.4
% Moved from another Regional District	10.4	5.7	*	5.5	8.1	5.5	7.3	3.6
% Moved from another province or beyond	2.3	1.7	7.9	3.1	4.2	2.1	4.3	4.9

[1] Population 5 years and older as the comparison is with the place of residence 5 years earlier.
[2] Migrants are those who moved but exclude those whose move was within the same municipality, Indian Reserve or unorganized area. Percent is of current population.

% OF YOUTH AGE 18-24 WHO MOVED BETWEEN 2010 AND 2011





TO THE CITY OR BACK?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
TOTAL POPULATION[1] (number)	5900	140,630	3,340	64,550	9,535	212,455	51,410	3,891,740
Metropolitan/less metropolitan moves in last 5 years[2] (number)	350	8,830	235	3,195	595	12,480	4,045	97,730
% of population who moved from metropolitan area[3] to area with less metropolitan influence[4]	2.2	3.1	2.5	2.5	3.0	2.9	4.1	1.3
% of population who moved from area with less metropolitan influence[4] to metropolitan area[3]	2.7	3.1	4.2	2.4	3.2	3.0	3.5	1.2
YOUTH AGE 18-24 (number)	865	19,370	500	8,115	1,410	28,405	5,310	356,755
Metropolitan/less metropolitan moves in last 5 years[2] (number)	30	1,300	*	390	60	2,220	710	11,585
% of population who moved from metropolitan area[3] to area with less metropolitan influence[4]	3.5	3.6	*	1.4	2.8	2.9	2.7	1.1
% of population who moved from area with less metropolitan influence[4] to metropolitan area[3]	*	5.7	*	3.5	1.4	4.9	5.6	2.1

[1] Population 5 years and older as the comparison is with the place of residence 5 years earlier.
[2] The metropolitan/less metropolitan area from which a person moved may be outside this region or the province. Those who moved from outside the country are not included. Percent is of the current population.
[3] Census metropolitan area (CMA), census agglomeration (CA), or strong influence metropolitan area (>30% of workers commuting to any CMA or CA).
[4] Moderate, weak, and no influence metropolitan area (>5% to 30%, >0% to 5%, and 0%, respectively, of workers commuting to any CMA or CA).

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EDUCATION PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011 (Part 1)

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

WHAT'S THE LEVEL OF SCHOOL SUCCESS?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION (COMPLETED CREDENTIALS)								
Among age 25-64 (number)	3,050	74,265	1,775	36,305	5,005	114,610	31,845	2,437,105
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	41.6	29.1	23.9	17.0	35.6	25.0	17.0	9.4
% with high school certificate or equivalent	19.7	25.0	25.9	26.1	22.4	25.2	29.2	25.1
% with post secondary completion	38.9	46.0	50.7	57.0	42.1	49.8	53.8	65.6
% with apprenticeship, on trades certificate or diploma	15.7	14.3	20.8	16.9	17.2	15.2	18.9	11.1
% with non-university certificate or diploma	16.6	18.8	20.3	22.6	17.5	20.1	20.9	19.9
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	6.6	12.8	9.6	17.4	7.4	14.5	14.0	34.5
% with certificate/diploma below bachelor level	3.0	4.9	4.2	5.2	3.2	5.0	2.8	6.4
% with certificate/degree (bachelor or higher)	3.6	7.9	5.1	12.2	4.1	9.5	11.1	28.1

% OF ABORIGINAL POPULATION AGE 25-64 WITH HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION AS HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION

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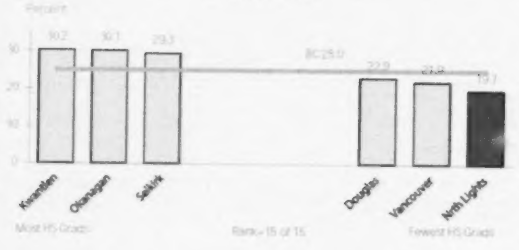

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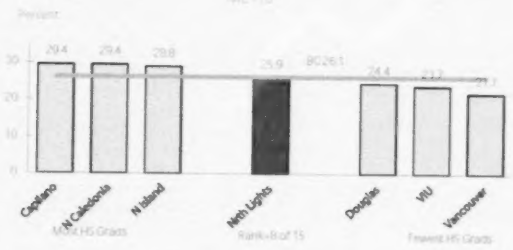

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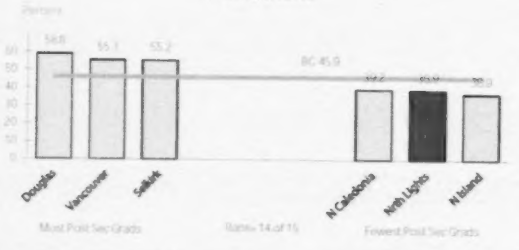

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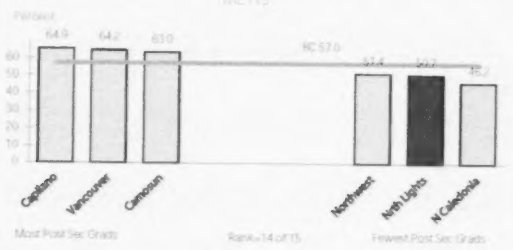

ARE THERE DIFFERENCES IN MALE/FEMALE EDUCATION ATTAINMENT?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION (COMPLETED CREDENTIALS)								
Male (age 25-64 (number)	1,445	34,605	870	17,905	2,430	53,430	16,715	1,196,035
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	41.1	32.6	28.2	19.3	40.1	28.2	19.8	10.3
% with high school certificate or equivalent	17.6	24.5	26.4	25.7	22.4	24.7	25.2	24.7
% with post secondary completion	35.3	42.8	46.0	55.1	37.4	47.1	55.0	65.0
% with apprenticeship, trades certificate or diploma	21.1	20.0	31.0	23.6	23.7	21.2	27.4	15.6
% with non-university certificate or diploma	10.0	14.2	9.6	16.8	9.5	14.9	17.3	11.1
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	4.2	8.6	5.2	14.7	4.3	10.9	10.3	32.5
Female (age 25-64 (number)	1,610	39,655	905	19,295	2,580	61,080	15,130	1,201,070
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	36.3	26.0	20.4	14.9	31.4	22.2	14.0	8.5
% with high school certificate or equivalent	21.4	25.3	24.9	26.4	22.1	25.6	33.5	25.4
% with post secondary completion	42.5	46.7	55.8	58.6	46.7	52.2	52.4	66.1
% with apprenticeship, trades certificate or diploma	11.2	9.4	11.0	11.0	11.2	9.9	9.6	7.0
% with non-university certificate or diploma	22.3	22.8	30.4	27.8	25.0	24.7	24.8	22.6
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	8.7	16.4	14.4	19.8	10.5	17.7	18.1	36.5

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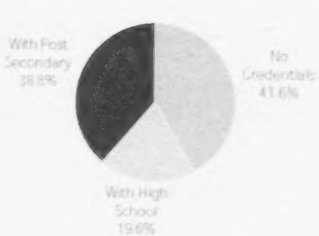

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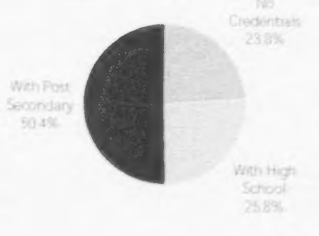

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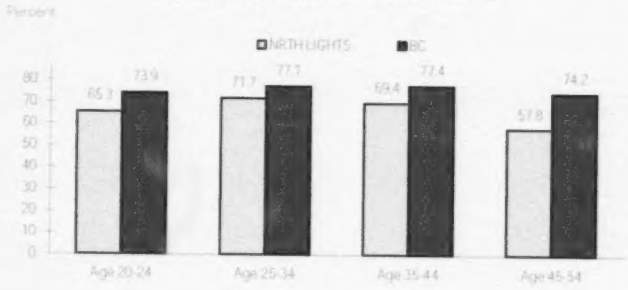
EDUCATION PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011 (Part 2)

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

ARE YOUNGER ABORIGINALS ACHIEVING HIGHER LEVELS OF EDUCATION THAN THEIR ELDERS?	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
Among age 18-24 (number)	865	19,375	500	8,110	1,410	28,400	5,305	356,750
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	43.9	33.0	32.0	20.8	38.7	29.2	20.5	10.1
% with high school certificate or equivalent	38.2	48.5	51.0	54.7	44.0	50.4	51.5	56.6
% with post secondary completion	17.3	18.5	17.0	24.5	17.7	20.4	28.1	33.3
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	12.7	9.3	6.0	10.0	10.6	9.5	10.8	6.0
% with non-university certificate or diploma	4.0	7.7	*	11.0	5.3	8.8	14.0	16.6
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	*	1.6	*	3.6	1.1	2.1	3.3	10.8
Among age 20-24 (number)	635	13,325	320	5,510	995	19,445	3,850	257,120
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	39.4	30.0	29.7	18.5	35.2	26.1	15.2	7.2
% with high school certificate or equivalent	38.6	47.0	51.6	51.9	44.2	48.7	51.0	50.9
% with post secondary completion	22.0	23.0	18.8	29.7	21.1	25.2	33.8	41.9
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	15.7	11.1	9.4	11.3	13.1	11.2	12.6	7.0
% with non-university certificate or diploma	5.5	9.6	*	13.2	5.5	10.9	16.8	20.2
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	*	2.3	*	5.3	1.5	3.1	4.5	14.7
Among age 25-34 (number)	935	20,300	580	9,165	1,590	30,430	9,640	527,820
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	37.4	27.5	15.5	13.6	28.3	22.9	13.0	6.5
% with high school certificate or equivalent	30.5	31.4	26.7	30.9	31.1	31.0	34.0	24.8
% with post secondary completion	32.1	41.1	58.6	55.5	40.6	46.1	53.0	68.6
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	11.8	13.3	17.2	13.7	13.5	13.6	16.8	9.3
% with non-university certificate or diploma	17.1	20.4	33.6	27.2	22.3	22.5	21.7	25.3
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	3.2	7.4	7.8	14.6	4.7	9.9	14.5	34.0
Among age 35-54 (number)	1,710	40,800	935	19,340	2,745	62,300	16,685	1,225,145
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	40.4	28.2	26.2	16.3	36.8	24.3	18.2	9.0
% with high school certificate or equivalent	17.0	23.6	26.7	25.2	19.9	23.9	27.4	24.4
% with post secondary completion	42.7	48.2	47.1	58.5	43.4	51.8	54.4	66.7
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	17.8	14.6	22.5	18.0	18.9	15.6	19.5	11.3
% with non-university certificate or diploma	21.1	25.5	20.3	28.7	20.4	26.7	24.5	27.5
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	4.1	8.1	4.3	11.8	4.2	9.5	10.4	27.9
Among age 35-44 (number)	845	20,205	410	8,720	1,275	29,915	7,920	559,035
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	29.6	26.7	32.9	13.9	31.0	22.6	16.6	7.3
% with high school certificate or equivalent	23.7	25.0	32.9	23.9	25.9	24.5	27.7	22.7
% with post secondary completion	46.7	48.4	35.4	62.2	43.5	52.9	55.7	69.9
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	14.8	14.2	11.0	15.1	14.1	14.5	17.6	10.1
% with non-university certificate or diploma	25.4	25.5	18.3	32.7	23.5	28.0	25.4	27.6
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	6.5	8.7	4.9	14.3	5.9	10.5	12.8	32.3
Among age 45-54 (number)	865	20,595	525	10,625	1,470	32,390	8,765	666,105
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	50.3	29.7	20.0	18.4	42.2	25.9	19.7	10.4
% with high school certificate or equivalent	11.0	22.2	21.9	26.3	14.3	23.4	27.2	25.7
% with post secondary completion	38.7	48.1	57.1	55.3	43.5	50.7	53.2	63.9
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	20.2	15.0	31.4	20.3	23.1	16.6	21.4	12.2
% with non-university certificate or diploma	16.8	25.5	19.0	25.4	17.3	25.6	23.7	27.4
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	1.7	7.6	3.8	9.6	2.7	8.5	8.2	24.3
Among age 55+ (number)	710	21,990	460	12,665	1,180	36,200	11,625	1,215,230
% with no certificate, diploma, or degree	65.5	42.9	45.7	28.6	57.6	37.2	29.4	20.1
% with high school certificate or equivalent	7.7	16.1	20.7	21.5	12.7	18.4	24.9	25.4
% with post secondary completion	28.2	41.0	32.6	49.6	30.1	44.4	45.7	54.5
% with apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	12.7	14.3	14.1	18.0	13.6	15.8	16.6	12.8
% with non-university certificate or diploma	14.1	20.0	12.0	22.7	13.1	21.0	21.4	22.4
% with university certificate, diploma, or degree	*	6.7	*	8.8	3.8	7.6	7.8	19.2

% OF ABORIGINAL POPULATION WITH HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION OR HIGHER



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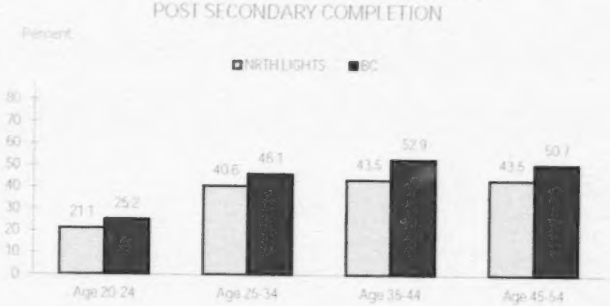

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AT-SCHOOL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

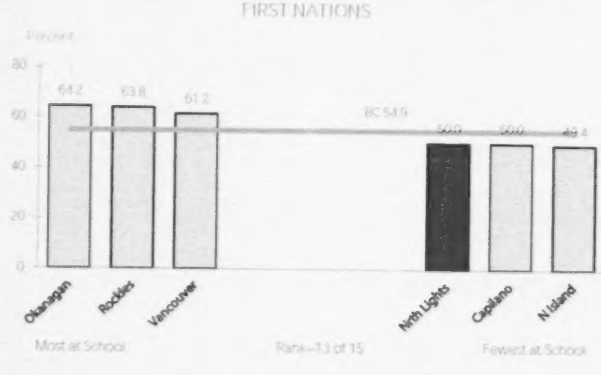
College Region 10 - Northern Lights

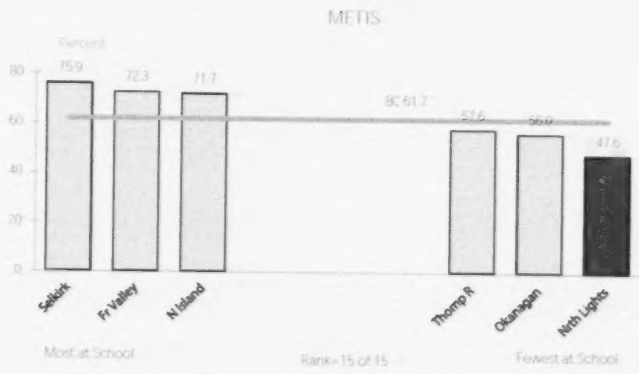
WHO'S IN SCHOOL?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE[1]								
Age 15-24 (number)	1,300	29,005	735	12,330	2,080	42,680	7,550	507,035
% at School	50.0	54.9	47.6	61.7	48.6	56.9	47.0	68.3
Age 15-19 (number)	660	15,675	415	6,815	1,080	23,230	3,700	249,915
% at School	69.7	75.1	68.7	79.4	69.4	76.2	73.6	82.1
Age 15-17 (number)	430	9,630	235	4,215	670	14,275	2,240	150,285
% at School	82.6	85.8	80.9	88.1	82.1	85.5	87.5	88.0
Age 18-19 (number)	230	6,050	180	2,600	415	8,955	1,455	99,630
% at School	45.7	58.1	52.8	65.2	49.4	59.8	52.6	73.3
Age 20-24 (number)	635	13,325	320	5,510	995	19,445	3,850	257,120
% at School	29.9	31.1	20.3	39.8	26.1	33.8	21.6	54.8

[1] Attended school at some time between September 2010 and May 2011.

% OF POPULATION AGE 15-24 WHO ATTENDED SCHOOL BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 2010 AND MAY 2011





ARE ADULTS RETURNING TO SCHOOL?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE[1]								
Age 25-34 (number)	935	20,300	580	9,165	1,590	30,430	8,640	527,820
% at School	11.8	18.3	15.5	20.6	13.2	18.9	10.4	21.0
Age 35-44 (number)	845	20,205	410	8,720	1,275	29,915	7,920	559,035
% at School	7.7	12.5	4.9	12.2	7.1	12.7	7.7	10.4
Age 45-54 (number)	865	20,595	525	10,625	1,470	32,390	8,765	666,105
% at School	6.4	8.9	5.7	8.0	5.8	8.6	6.6	6.8

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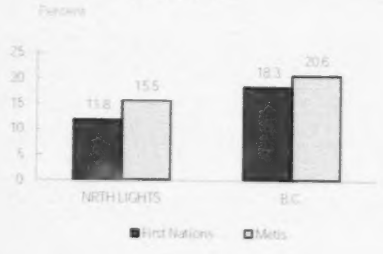
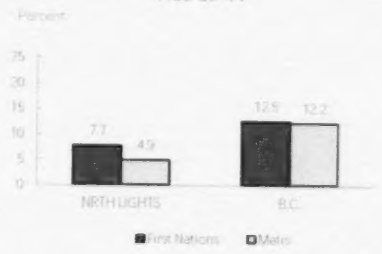
% OF POPULATION WHO ATTENDED SCHOOL BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 2010 AND MAY 2011





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SCHOOL/WORK PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

SCHOOL OR WORK? [1]	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
Among age 15-24 (number)	1,300	29,005	735	12,330	2,080	42,680	7,550	507,035
% who both went to school and worked [2]	29.6	27.1	33.3	41.6	30.8	31.3	33.2	42.5
% who worked but did not go to school	38.8	28.8	41.5	31.3	40.6	29.8	46.8	28.2
% who went to school but did not work	20.4	27.8	15.0	20.0	18.0	25.6	13.6	25.7
% who neither worked nor went to school	11.2	16.3	10.2	7.1	10.6	13.3	6.1	5.6
Male age 15-24 (number)	705	15,060	360	6,195	1,075	22,080	3,835	261,010
% who both went to school and worked [2]	27.7	23.9	25.0	37.1	27.0	27.6	30.9	39.3
% who worked but did not go to school	39.7	32.0	45.8	33.4	41.9	32.8	53.7	28.2
% who went to school but did not work	23.4	28.3	18.1	21.8	21.4	26.5	13.6	26.9
% who neither worked nor went to school	10.6	15.7	9.7	7.7	10.2	13.0	2.0	5.6
Female age 15-24 (number)	590	13,940	375	6,135	1,005	20,600	3,718	246,025
% who both went to school and worked [2]	32.2	30.5	41.3	46.2	34.8	35.2	35.8	45.9
% who worked but did not go to school	38.1	25.3	37.3	29.0	39.3	26.7	39.7	24.1
% who went to school but did not work	16.9	27.2	12.0	18.3	14.4	24.5	14.1	24.5
% who neither worked nor went to school	12.7	16.9	*	6.5	10.9	13.6	10.5	5.5

% OF ABORIGINAL POPULATION AGE 15-24 WHO EITHER WORKED OR ATTENDED SCHOOL BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 2010 AND MAY 2011

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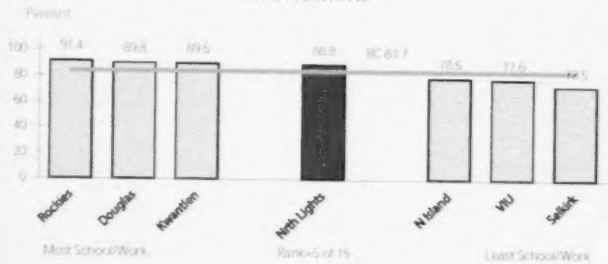

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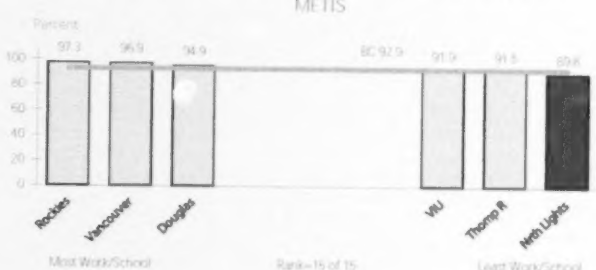

WORK/SCHOOL ACTIVITY OF ABORIGINAL YOUTH (AGE 15-24) BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 2010 AND MAY 2011

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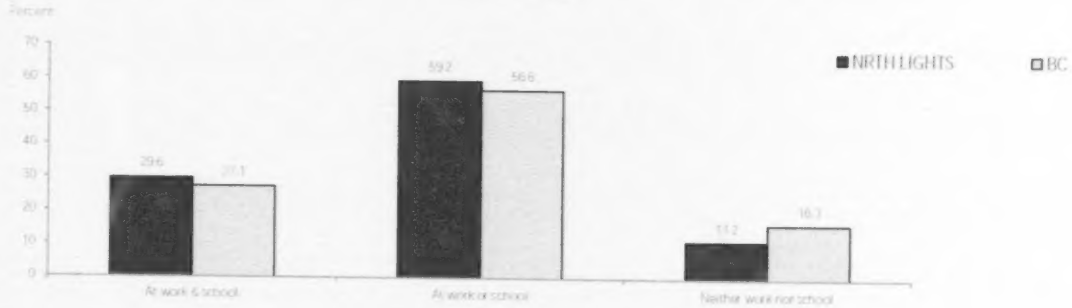

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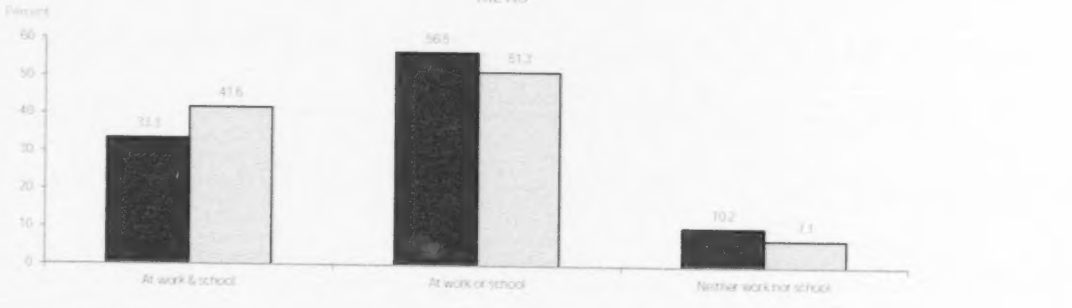

[1] Based on whether the youth was in school at sometime between September 2010 and May 2011 and whether the youth worked in 2010.

[2] The youth could have been working and going to school at the same time or at different times over the time period.

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LABOUR SUPPLY PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

WHAT IS THE PARTICIPATION IN THE LABOUR FORCE?	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
PARTICIPATION RATE, MAY 2011								
Age 15-24 - both sexes	53.5	47.5	57.1	69.5	55.0	51.4	70.5	59.0
Male	58.2	47.9	56.3	68.7	57.7	51.6	77.4	58.2
Female	46.2	46.6	56.0	60.2	52.2	51.2	63.4	59.8
With no certificate, diploma, or degree	38.5	28.5	46.2	32.7	43.1	31.1	53.7	33.3
With high school certificate or equivalent	69.0	64.6	73.1	73.3	71.6	67.9	79.6	67.4
With post secondary completion	64.4	76.4	*	83.3	69.0	79.4	85.8	78.2
Age 25-54 - both sexes	75.8	72.0	84.5	82.4	79.9	75.5	87.2	85.1
Male	81.9	76.2	86.5	86.8	84.2	79.6	93.7	90.9
Female	70.8	68.2	82.1	78.7	75.2	71.8	80.4	80.5
With no certificate, diploma, or degree	65.7	54.7	83.6	70.7	71.6	58.4	82.8	72.7
With high school certificate or equivalent	79.1	72.3	82.5	80.3	81.2	75.3	84.4	82.4
With post secondary completion	84.5	82.3	86.5	88.4	85.3	83.8	90.1	87.7
Age 25-34	69.1	69.9	79.5	82.8	74.5	74.4	86.7	85.2
Male	77.8	75.7	86.0	89.2	82.6	80.3	95.0	89.6
Female	59.6	64.1	73.1	77.3	66.0	68.9	76.9	81.0
With no certificate, diploma, or degree	52.1	53.0	*	67.5	61.8	56.2	83.5	77.9
With high school certificate or equivalent	80.7	80.4	73.3	89.5	81.8	73.9	82.3	82.5
With post secondary completion	71.2	80.8	84.1	93.9	77.7	83.7	89.5	87.4
Age 35-54	78.6	73.0	87.7	82.2	83.2	76.1	87.7	85.1
Male	84.6	76.7	86.7	85.7	85.6	79.6	92.4	90.2
Female	76.6	69.9	88.8	79.3	80.9	73.1	82.3	80.3
With no certificate, diploma, or degree	69.6	55.5	87.8	71.9	76.7	59.3	82.7	72.6
With high school certificate or equivalent	77.6	73.6	88.9	80.8	82.4	76.2	85.6	82.4
With post secondary completion	90.4	83.0	86.5	85.7	89.1	83.9	90.4	87.6
Age 55+	43.4	39.3	58.7	47.0	50.0	41.6	55.6	37.5
Male	50.0	42.9	58.3	52.6	54.8	45.8	62.1	43.3
Female	36.4	36.4	59.4	41.8	43.2	38.1	48.8	32.1
With no certificate, diploma, or degree	33.3	23.6	33.3	29.8	31.1	25.2	35.8	21.0
With high school certificate or equivalent	*	45.5	*	49.4	66.7	46.2	57.0	35.4
With post secondary completion	76.9	53.4	66.7	55.8	76.9	53.5	67.5	44.6
SELF-EMPLOYMENT RATES (% OF EMPLOYED)								
Total, age 15+	2.9	5.2	3.8	7.9	3.7	6.2	8.7	8.6
Male	3.2	6.3	3.7	8.0	3.3	6.9	9.7	9.7
Female	2.5	4.2	4.5	7.8	4.1	5.5	7.6	7.5
Age 15-24	*	3.3	*	2.3	*	1.8	2.8	2.3
Age 25-34	*	5.3	*	6.6	1.4	5.7	5.0	5.6
Age 35-54	3.0	5.7	6.5	9.4	4.5	7.0	7.8	9.1

WHAT CREDENTIALS DO PEOPLE HOLD? MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
AMONG THOSE WITH COMPLETED POST SECONDARY								
FIELD OF STUDY (% DISTRIBUTION)								
Age 15+ (number)	1,385	40,700	1,020	24,730	2,435	68,260	20,520	1,961,520
Arts and Sciences (%)	7.9	10.0	7.4	11.3	8.0	10.5	9.0	17.8
Trades (%)	16.6	28.6	37.7	27.5	37.4	28.0	34.9	16.3
Business and Management (%)	18.8	15.5	12.7	16.5	16.2	15.9	16.0	19.1
Health (%)	9.0	14.0	10.8	15.8	9.7	14.6	12.3	14.2
Engineering and Applied Sciences (%)	16.6	10.5	14.2	16.1	15.6	10.4	13.6	14.5
Education (%)	3.6	6.0	5.9	6.3	4.3	6.3	6.2	7.7
Human and Social Services (%)	6.5	12.2	4.8	10.0	7.6	11.3	5.9	6.5
Visual and Performing Arts (%)	*	3.1	2.0	2.6	1.4	2.9	1.6	3.7
Age 15-24 (number)	155	1,665	85	2,030	250	5,930	1,550	120,520
Arts and Sciences (%)	*	17.1	*	23.3	*	19.7	15.0	12.8
Trades (%)	61.3	49.4	*	43.3	56.0	47.6	45.2	19.9
Business and Management (%)	*	7.6	*	7.1	*	7.4	12.6	17.4
Health (%)	*	7.8	*	10.1	*	8.3	7.7	11.1
Engineering and Applied Sciences (%)	19.4	10.2	*	12.6	22.0	10.9	14.8	10.9
Education (%)	*	2.0	*	2.1	*	2.6	1.6	2.2
Human and Social Services (%)	*	9.3	*	8.9	*	8.8	2.1	6.7
Visual and Performing Arts (%)	*	5.2	*	5.2	*	5.0	3.9	6.8
Age 25-54 (number)	1,030	28,025	785	16,400	1,840	46,275	13,655	1,178,900
Arts and Sciences (%)	10.2	10.5	5.7	12.4	8.2	10.9	8.8	18.9
Trades (%)	32.0	26.9	40.8	24.9	35.9	26.0	35.0	14.8
Business and Management (%)	16.9	15.8	14.6	17.6	16.8	16.5	16.3	19.6
Health (%)	9.2	13.7	10.8	16.2	9.5	14.6	12.6	13.8
Engineering and Applied Sciences (%)	17.5	11.1	14.0	10.0	18.6	10.9	14.1	15.6
Education (%)	4.4	6.1	3.2	5.9	3.5	6.1	6.3	6.3
Human and Social Services (%)	7.2	13.1	9.6	10.6	8.2	12.2	6.2	6.9
Visual and Performing Arts (%)	*	2.7	1.9	2.4	1.1	2.7	1.6	4.0
Age 25-34 (number)	395	8,345	345	5,090	645	14,005	4,580	362,275
Arts and Sciences (%)	9.8	13.7	5.6	13.8	7.8	13.4	10.4	22.8
Trades (%)	36.1	31.1	34.8	26.1	35.7	28.9	30.6	13.7
Business and Management (%)	18.0	12.6	14.5	13.2	16.3	12.9	13.3	18.4
Health (%)	4.9	12.6	11.6	16.3	7.8	13.7	13.0	13.0
Engineering and Applied Sciences (%)	21.3	10.5	18.8	9.4	20.2	10.6	15.9	14.5
Education (%)	*	4.4	*	6.0	*	5.2	5.8	5.3
Human and Social Services (%)	6.6	10.8	14.5	12.8	10.9	11.4	7.8	7.0
Visual and Performing Arts (%)	*	4.0	*	3.4	*	3.7	3.2	5.2
Age 35-54 (number)	730	19,680	440	11,305	1,195	32,255	9,075	816,625
Arts and Sciences (%)	10.3	9.0	5.7	11.8	8.6	9.8	8.0	17.2
Trades (%)	31.5	25.2	45.5	24.9	36.4	24.7	37.1	15.2
Business and Management (%)	18.5	17.2	13.6	19.6	16.7	18.1	16.3	20.2
Health (%)	11.0	14.2	10.2	16.2	10.5	15.0	12.4	14.2
Engineering and Applied Sciences (%)	16.4	11.4	11.4	10.3	14.2	11.1	13.3	16.1
Education (%)	5.5	6.1	4.5	5.8	5.0	6.5	6.6	6.7
Human and Social Services (%)	6.8	14.0	6.8	9.6	6.7	12.6	5.5	6.9
Visual and Performing Arts (%)	*	2.2	3.4	1.9	1.3	2.2	0.8	3.5

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WORK PATTERN PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

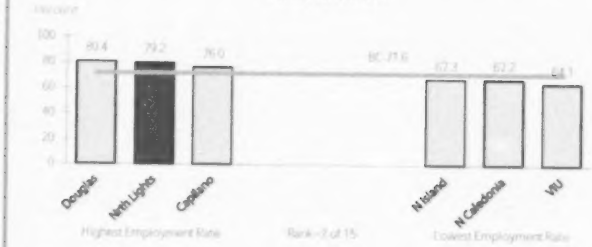
HOW MUCH DID THEY WORK?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
Among age 15-64 (number)	4,345	193,265	2,510	48,630	7,085	157,190	39,400	2,844,140
% Who worked in 2010	72.6	64.2	81.1	76.9	76.3	68.4	85.2	78.1
Among those who worked in 2010:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time*	48.3	50.0	59.7	57.7	53.3	52.9	66.8	63.7
% who worked part-time*	22.7	27.7	17.2	28.7	19.9	27.9	18.9	24.4
Male (number)	2,150	49,670	1,230	23,205	3,505	78,505	20,550	1,397,045
% Who worked in 2010	75.3	66.2	84.1	79.0	79.2	70.3	90.5	81.7
Among those who worked in 2010:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time*	46.9	51.4	62.3	63.5	52.3	55.7	73.9	70.8
% who worked part-time*	17.0	21.7	5.3	20.1	12.3	21.0	9.9	16.2
Female (number)	2,195	53,595	1,280	25,430	3,585	81,680	18,845	1,447,095
% Who worked in 2010	69.7	62.3	78.1	75.0	73.4	66.7	79.3	74.7
Among those who worked in 2010:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time*	50.3	48.6	57.0	52.0	54.2	50.1	58.0	56.3
% who worked part-time*	28.8	33.6	29.5	37.0	28.1	34.7	30.0	33.1
Among age 15-24 (number)	1,295	29,000	735	12,330	2,080	42,680	7,550	507,040
% Who worked in 2010	60.2	51.2	66.7	67.4	63.2	56.2	75.2	63.9
Among those who worked in 2010:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time*	31.4	23.1	42.9	26.0	36.5	24.3	44.4	26.0
% who worked part-time*	47.9	51.2	28.6	56.6	36.9	53.0	37.0	57.6
Among age 25-34 (number)	940	20,305	585	9,165	1,590	30,425	8,645	527,815
% Who worked in 2010	75.5	70.1	86.3	85.9	80.5	75.4	89.6	86.3
Among those who worked in 2010:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time*	50.0	53.6	70.3	62.1	57.0	57.0	68.3	67.2
Among age 25-54 (number)	1,710	40,800	935	19,340	2,745	62,305	16,685	1,225,145
% Who worked in 2010	81.3	72.4	90.9	82.4	85.2	75.7	89.5	85.5
Among those who worked in 2010:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time*	55.4	59.8	60.6	69.2	58.8	63.0	73.1	73.3

* Full-time - 30 hours per week or more

% OF NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN AND METIS POPULATION AGE 25-54 WHO WORKED IN 2010

FIRST NATIONS



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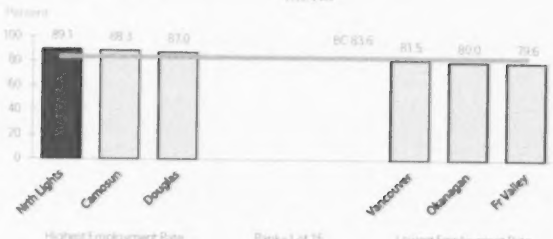

DID PEOPLE GET FULL YEAR WORK?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
Population age 25-54 who worked in 2010 (number)	2,095	43,750	1,355	23,825	3,620	70,120	22,690	1,502,380
% working 1 - 26 weeks	27.7	23.4	15.9	13.9	22.0	19.9	12.3	11.9
% working 27 - 39 weeks	11.2	9.6	14.0	8.3	13.7	9.2	7.4	6.7
% working 40+ weeks	61.3	67.1	70.1	77.8	64.5	70.9	80.3	81.5
Population age 25-34 who worked in 2010 (num)	710	14,230	505	7,830	1,280	22,940	7,750	455,295
% working 1 - 26 weeks	33.8	28.3	14.9	17.1	25.0	24.0	14.9	15.3
% working 27 - 39 weeks	9.9	10.8	12.9	9.6	14.1	10.5	8.3	8.3
% working 40+ weeks	55.6	60.9	73.3	72.7	60.9	65.4	76.9	76.4
Population age 35-54 who worked in 2010 (num)	1,390	29,620	850	15,945	2,340	47,180	14,940	1,047,085
% working 1 - 26 weeks	24.1	21.0	16.5	12.0	20.5	17.8	10.9	10.4
% working 27 - 39 weeks	12.2	9.0	14.7	7.7	13.2	8.6	7.0	5.9
% working 40+ weeks	63.7	70.1	68.2	80.4	66.5	73.6	82.1	83.7

% OF WORKING ABORIGINAL POPULATION AGE 25-54 YEARS WHO WORKED HALF A YEAR OR LESS

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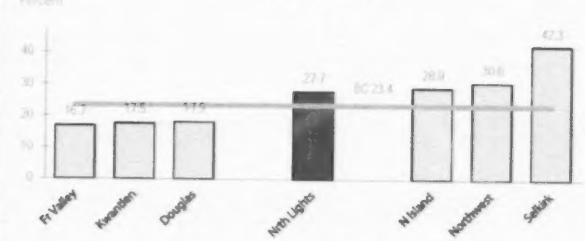

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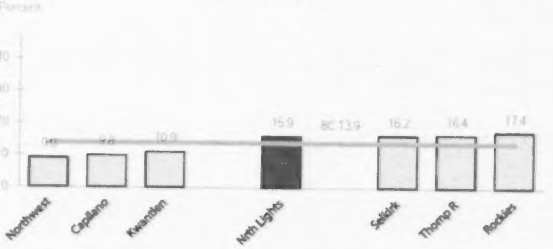

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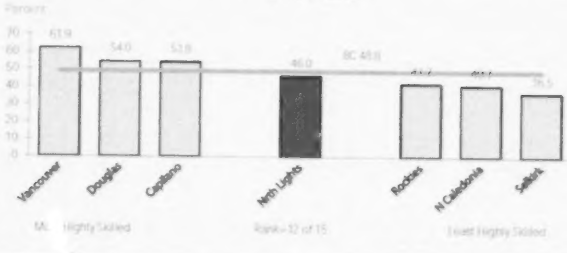
OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

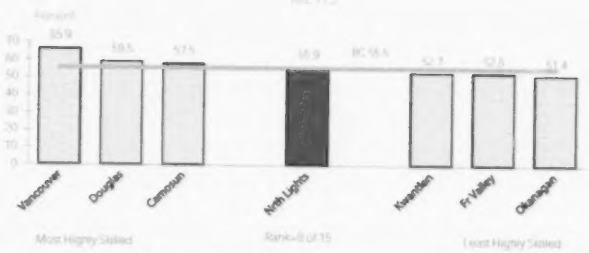
College Region 10 - Northern Lights

WHAT KIND OF JOBS?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	BC	NRTH LIGHTS	BC	NRTH LIGHTS	BC	NRTH LIGHTS	BC
EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE (worked in 2010 or 2011)								
Among age 15+ (number)	2,890	62,200	1,950	35,910	5,060	101,875	33,670	2,203,440
% Management occupations	5.2	7.0	9.5	8.9	7.0	7.7	12.1	11.6
% Professional occupations	7.4	10.0	5.9	10.5	6.5	10.2	8.9	17.8
%Business & Finance	*	1.3	*	1.6	0.3	1.4	1.4	3.2
% Health	*	1.0	1.3	1.6	0.6	1.3	1.7	3.2
% Education Services	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.7	2.2	2.6	2.6	3.8
% Law & Social, Community, & Government services	3.5	3.5	1.0	2.2	2.5	2.9	1.7	2.6
% Semi-Professional & Technical occupations	33.4	31.8	41.0	36.0	36.3	33.5	38.4	31.6
% Skilled Administration & Business	5.2	5.3	10.5	8.6	7.0	6.8	7.4	6.6
% Technical & Skilled in Health	0.7	0.9	1.5	1.9	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.8
% Paraprofessionals in Legal, Social, Comm & Ed serv	2.2	4.6	5.6	3.3	3.5	4.0	1.4	2.1
% Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	54.6	51.2	43.8	44.5	50.1	48.5	40.6	39.0
Among males age 15+ (number)	1,520	31,006	1,001	17,870	2,650	50,715	19,025	1,149,030
% Management occupations	4.3	7.4	13.0	10.0	8.1	8.3	13.5	13.6
% Professional occupations	3.9	6.1	4.0	6.7	3.8	7.0	6.1	15.9
% Semi-Professional & Technical occupations	36.8	35.6	34.5	41.0	36.4	37.9	42.8	34.9
% Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	54.6	51.0	48.5	40.2	51.7	46.9	37.7	35.4
Among females age 15+ (number)	1,365	31,196	945	18,040	2,410	51,160	14,645	1,054,405
% Management occupations	5.9	6.7	5.3	7.8	5.8	7.2	10.2	9.3
% Professional occupations	11.0	13.8	7.4	12.3	9.3	13.4	12.6	19.8
% Semi-Professional & Technical occupations	29.7	28.0	48.1	31.0	36.3	29.2	32.9	28.1
% Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	53.5	51.4	39.7	48.8	48.5	50.2	44.5	42.9
Among age 15-24 (number)	655	12,350	410	7,070	1,105	20,210	5,255	285,570
% Management occupations	*	1.7	*	1.6	2.3	1.6	3.9	2.8
% Professional occupations	*	1.4	*	2.1	1.4	1.7	2.9	5.2
% Semi-Professional & Technical occupations	34.4	28.6	22.0	29.5	29.0	28.2	31.9	26.4
% Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	63.4	70.2	72.0	66.9	67.4	68.5	61.3	65.7
Among age 25-34 (number)	635	13,270	460	7,505	1,170	21,605	7,415	442,505
% Management occupations	*	6.3	6.5	8.5	3.4	7.2	6.2	9.4
% Professional occupations	2.4	9.3	5.4	12.0	3.8	10.5	7.4	20.6
% Semi-Professional & Technical occupations	34.6	33.9	54.3	39.6	44.9	36.2	47.1	34.4
% Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	61.4	50.5	33.7	39.8	47.4	46.1	37.4	35.4
Among age 35-54 (number)	1,395	28,275	805	15,515	2,210	45,470	14,585	1,027,330
% Management occupations	7.3	8.6	12.4	10.4	9.7	9.2	13.7	14.0
% Professional occupations	12.3	12.2	6.2	13.1	9.5	12.6	9.7	19.1
% Semi-Professional & Technical occupations	33.3	31.6	49.4	37.6	37.8	35.0	38.3	32.7
% Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	46.7	47.7	34.2	38.9	43.0	43.2	38.3	34.2

% OF ABORIGINAL EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE IN MANAGEMENT, PROFESSIONAL, SEMI-PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL OCCUPATIONS





WHAT'S THE REPRESENTATION OF ABORIGINAL COMPARED TO NON-ABORIGINAL?

	NORTHERN LIGHTS					
	TOTAL ABORIGINAL & NON-ABORIGINAL	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES		NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES		DIFFERENCE IN DISTRIBUTION ABORIGINAL COMPARED TO NON-ABORIGINAL
	Number	Number	% of LF	Number	% of LF	%
EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE POPULATION AGE 15+	38,725	5,060	100.0	33,670	100.0	0.0
Management occupations	4,420	355	7.0	4,065	12.1	-5.1
Professional occupations	3,335	330	6.5	3,005	8.9	-2.4
Business & Finance	480	15	0.3	465	1.4	-1.1
Health	595	30	0.6	560	1.7	-1.1
Education	990	110	2.2	885	2.6	-0.5
Law & Social, Community, & Government services	695	125	2.5	570	1.7	0.8
Technical & other high skilled occupations	14,750	1,835	36.3	12,915	38.4	-2.1
Skilled Administration & Business	2,835	355	7.0	2,480	7.4	-0.3
Technical & Skilled in Health	520	50	1.0	465	1.4	-0.4
Paraprofessionals in Legal, Social, Comm & Ed serv	620	175	3.5	455	1.4	2.1
Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	16,220	2,535	50.1	13,685	40.6	9.5
MALE POPULATION AGE 15+	21,675	2,650	100.0	19,025	100.0	0.0
Management occupations	2,780	215	8.1	2,565	13.5	-5.4
Professional occupations	1,255	100	3.8	1,155	6.1	-2.3
Technical & other high skilled occupations	9,100	965	36.4	8,135	42.8	-6.3
Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	8,540	1,370	51.7	7,170	37.7	12.9
FEMALE POPULATION AGE 15+	17,065	2,410	100.0	14,645	100.0	0.0
Management occupations	1,640	140	5.8	1,500	10.2	-4.4
Professional occupations	2,080	225	9.3	1,850	12.6	-3.3
Technical & other high skilled occupations	5,650	875	36.3	4,775	32.6	3.7
Intermediate & lesser skilled occupations	7,685	1,370	49.5	6,515	44.5	4.1

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WHAT INDUSTRIES ARE PEOPLE WORKING IN?	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NORTHLIGHTS	B.C.	NORTHLIGHTS	B.C.	NORTHLIGHTS	B.C.	NORTHLIGHTS	B.C.
EXPERIENCED LABOUR FORCE (worked in 2010 or 2011)								
Among age 15+ (number)	2,890	62,200	1,960	35,970	5,065	101,870	33,670	2,255,440
% in Goods-producing industries	37.4	22.6	40.6	22.2	38.9	22.4	34.6	18.5
Of Goods - % Self-employed	3.2	7.5	5.0	11.5	4.1	8.9	12.8	12.1
% Agriculture	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.3	4.1	1.6
% Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	15.1	6.3	19.2	4.0	17.2	5.4	14.6	2.0
% Utilities	0.9	0.5	1.0	0.6	1.0	0.5	1.4	0.6
% Construction	18.0	8.4	15.4	10.1	16.7	9.1	10.4	7.8
% Manufacturing	2.2	5.9	4.1	6.3	3.0	6.0	4.2	6.9
% in Services-producing industries	62.5	77.4	59.0	77.8	61.2	77.6	65.4	81.5
Of Services - % self-employed	3.9	4.7	3.9	6.2	3.9	5.4	6.5	6.0
% Wholesale and retail trade	11.9	13.6	14.1	16.6	13.3	14.7	14.2	15.5
% Transportation and warehousing	3.5	4.3	3.3	4.7	3.4	4.5	5.4	5.2
% Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	2.9	2.9	0.8	4.7	1.9	3.6	4.4	6.5
% Professional, scientific and technical services	3.7	3.5	3.3	4.4	2.4	3.8	5.4	8.0
% Educational services	6.1	6.0	5.6	5.9	5.5	6.0	5.6	7.3
% Health care and social assistance	6.7	10.4	10.0	11.5	7.7	10.8	6.9	10.8
% Accommodation and food services	6.9	9.3	5.6	6.5	6.7	9.0	6.7	7.7
% Other services (except public administration)	4.3	3.8	5.1	5.5	4.8	4.5	5.7	4.9
% Public administration	15.1	15.4	3.8	7.1	10.7	12.2	5.0	6.0
Among age 15 to 24 (number)	655	12,350	410	7,010	1,105	20,210	5,255	285,575
% in Goods-producing industries	44.3	20.6	26.8	17.0	36.2	19.5	20.5	16.1
Of Goods - % Self-employed	*	3.7	*	4.6	*	4.4	6.5	5.0
% Agriculture	*	1.9	*	0.8	2.3	1.5	1.0	1.6
% Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	11.5	4.3	8.5	2.8	10.0	3.8	10.5	1.3
% Utilities	*	0.2	*	*	*	0.2	*	0.2
% Construction	26.0	9.0	12.2	8.6	19.5	9.0	13.9	7.7
% Manufacturing	*	5.1	*	4.9	3.6	5.2	5.1	4.3
% in Services-producing industries	55.7	79.4	73.2	82.9	63.8	80.4	69.5	84.9
Of Services - % self-employed	*	1.5	*	1.8	*	1.6	1.9	2.1
% Wholesale and retail trade	25.2	22.3	25.6	27.8	24.9	24.1	23.2	26.3
% Transportation and warehousing	*	2.1	3.7	2.7	3.3	2.5	3.4	2.5
% Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	*	1.0	*	2.4	*	2.1	4.7	3.6
% Professional, scientific and technical services	*	1.6	*	2.4	1.4	1.9	4.9	4.0
% Educational services	*	2.0	*	2.5	1.4	2.3	0.9	5.5
% Health care and social assistance	7.6	4.8	6.1	5.2	7.2	4.9	3.5	5.1
% Accommodation and food services	9.9	22.9	24.4	22.6	16.7	22.6	13.1	22.1
% Other services (except public administration)	*	3.9	*	5.2	2.3	4.6	5.7	4.4
% Public administration	1.6	3.5	*	2.2	5.0	6.4	2.9	3.1
Among age 25 to 34 (number)	640	13,270	465	7,510	1,170	21,605	7,415	442,505
% in Goods-producing industries	33.6	24.1	43.9	23.4	39.7	23.9	35.2	18.0
Of Goods - % Self-employed	*	4.1	*	9.7	*	5.8	4.2	7.3
% Agriculture	*	1.4	*	0.7	*	1.2	0.5	1.1
% Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	13.3	6.7	30.1	5.4	23.5	6.4	19.4	2.0
% Utilities	*	0.6	*	0.7	*	0.6	1.3	0.6
% Construction	17.2	9.7	7.5	11.6	13.2	10.5	11.5	8.9
% Manufacturing	2.3	5.6	*	5.0	2.1	5.1	3.1	5.5
% in Services-producing industries	65.6	75.9	56.1	76.6	60.3	76.1	64.3	82.0
Of Services - % self-employed	*	5.3	*	5.6	5.0	5.4	5.5	5.4
% Wholesale and retail trade	12.5	14.9	14.0	14.5	12.8	14.8	14.2	14.3
% Transportation and warehousing	4.7	3.6	*	3.2	4.3	3.6	3.5	4.3
% Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	8.6	3.2	*	4.7	4.7	3.7	4.6	6.7
% Professional, scientific and technical services	2.3	3.6	3.2	4.4	2.6	4.1	6.1	9.5
% Educational services	3.9	4.4	4.3	5.5	4.3	4.8	3.7	7.0
% Health care and social assistance	8.3	10.6	16.1	12.1	9.4	10.8	9.1	10.9
% Accommodation and food services	7.0	9.3	*	8.8	3.8	9.4	7.6	8.2
% Other services (except public administration)	3.9	4.2	9.7	5.7	5.6	4.8	2.3	5.2
% Public administration	13.3	13.0	*	8.4	7.7	11.1	4.2	5.6
Among age 35 to 54 (number)	1,305	28,275	905	15,515	2,215	45,475	14,580	1,027,130
% in Goods-producing industries	36.0	23.3	40.4	23.8	40.2	23.3	33.5	19.2
Of Goods - % Self-employed	4.3	8.8	9.0	12.1	5.5	9.9	5.9	12.4
% Agriculture	*	1.2	*	1.3	0.9	1.2	2.1	1.3
% Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	19.9	6.8	23.0	4.4	20.2	5.9	15.7	2.2
% Utilities	*	0.5	*	0.7	0.9	0.5	1.9	0.7
% Construction	12.6	8.1	11.4	9.7	14.7	8.7	9.4	7.7
% Manufacturing	1.9	6.6	6.7	7.7	3.6	6.9	4.8	7.4
% in Services-producing industries	64.0	76.7	52.2	76.2	59.8	76.7	66.5	80.8
Of Services - % self-employed	3.0	5.1	4.8	8.5	4.2	6.2	7.2	8.5
% Wholesale and retail trade	6.7	10.1	12.4	13.3	9.3	11.4	12.8	14.1
% Transportation and warehousing	4.2	5.1	4.3	5.3	4.1	5.5	7.9	6.0
% Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	1.5	2.9	*	5.2	1.4	3.7	4.1	6.7
% Professional, scientific and technical services	1.5	4.1	3.1	4.1	1.8	4.3	5.2	8.2
% Educational services	8.0	7.8	4.3	7.0	6.5	7.5	7.7	8.1
% Health care and social assistance	7.3	12.0	9.3	14.0	7.7	12.1	6.9	12.0
% Accommodation and food services	5.7	5.0	*	4.1	4.3	4.3	5.3	5.2
% Other services (except public administration)	6.1	3.5	3.1	5.2	5.2	4.2	6.3	4.8
% Public administration	18.0	18.1	7.5	9.8	14.7	14.7	6.0	6.8

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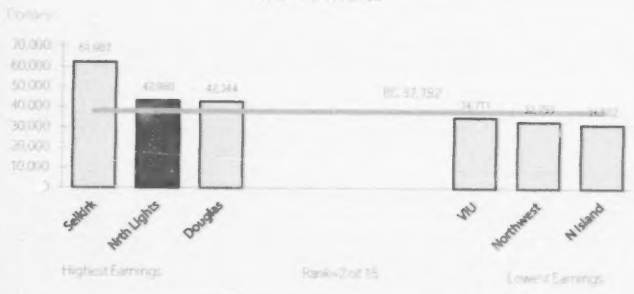
EARNINGS PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011
College Region 10 - Northern Lights

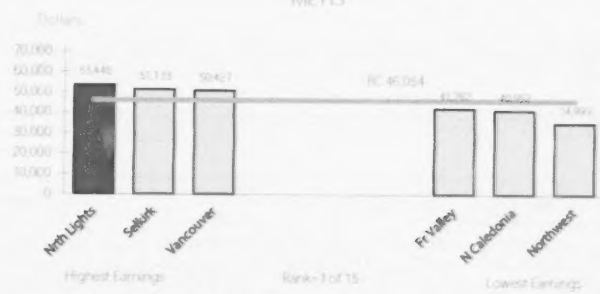
WHAT ARE THE LEVEL OF EARNINGS?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
EMPLOYMENT INCOME, 2010								
Age 15+ with employment income (number)	3,315	67,545	2,120	38,335	5,645	109,665	35,165	2,405,055
% Less than $20,000	44.5	49.6	33.0	41.2	39.3	46.1	27.6	37.5
% $20,000 - $39,999	25.5	25.9	26.4	24.6	26.0	25.5	21.3	22.4
% $40,000 and over	29.9	24.5	40.8	34.2	34.8	28.4	51.0	40.1
Median income ($)	24,229	20,066	34,742	26,569	27,935	22,462	40,891	30,612
Median income 40+ weeks mostly full-time ($)[1]	40,030	36,108	44,799	43,384	41,651	39,135	54,967	47,566
Males ($)	51,927	39,727	64,910	51,218	59,445	44,925	66,286	53,207
Females ($)	34,966	33,761	37,842	36,821	36,049	35,086	41,615	41,566
Paid workers ($)	40,594	36,761	45,197	44,591	42,454	39,919	56,945	48,782
Self-employed ($)	32,007	23,790	35,337	24,934	27,567	24,841	36,983	26,120
Age 15-24 with employment income (number)	785	14,715	490	8,180	1,300	23,710	5,610	324,960
Median income ($)	10,106	7,293	11,450	8,575	11,017	7,703	15,837	8,925
Median income 40+ weeks mostly full-time ($)[1]	30,184	20,576	25,070	24,218	27,198	22,329	34,297	24,709
Males ($)	38,228	22,338	29,128	26,677	33,693	24,013	42,564	26,753
Females ($)	21,696	18,914	19,447	20,225	24,962	20,086	24,998	22,014
Age 25-34 with employment income (number)	770	14,285	510	7,715	1,340	22,815	7,820	448,095
Median income ($)	25,907	20,061	37,939	28,152	34,661	23,724	46,916	32,896
Median income 40+ weeks mostly full-time ($)[1]	39,386	29,963	45,139	40,157	45,066	34,818	57,294	42,630
Males ($)	64,012	35,023	68,862	49,547	67,036	40,476	65,345	47,015
Females ($)	29,037	26,164	37,757	34,838	37,633	29,048	41,547	38,359
Age 35-54 with employment income (number)	1,425	28,790	825	15,520	2,350	45,890	14,595	1,026,200
Median income ($)	34,834	29,736	43,069	37,619	37,000	32,464	51,646	42,792
Median income 40+ weeks mostly full-time ($)[1]	42,762	41,121	65,780	49,137	49,984	44,351	62,172	52,160
Males ($)	61,931	46,842	81,314	58,530	79,178	51,593	76,319	59,914
Females ($)	37,333	38,047	45,373	40,387	39,996	39,329	47,315	44,746

[1] Full-time--30 hours per week or more

MEDIAN EMPLOYMENT INCOME OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLE AGE 25-54, WORKING 40+ WEEKS MOSTLY FULL-TIME, 2010





HOW DO INDUSTRY EARNINGS COMPARE?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
MEDIAN EMPLOYMENT INCOME, 2010 ($)								
Age 15+ - All Industries	26,447	21,319	35,181	27,941	29,995	23,958	42,314	33,419
Goods-producing	35,618	23,422	39,649	36,003	39,481	28,349	58,209	37,795
Agriculture	15,607	13,108	9,141	12,961	15,605	12,942	10,041	12,542
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	45,940	23,166	41,560	51,543	45,012	30,051	73,251	56,959	
Utilities	38,355	47,140	*	87,534	45,030	62,565	109,877	75,629
Construction	32,117	23,472	37,241	30,749	33,416	26,905	47,057	34,127
Manufacturing	46,343	25,555	45,739	41,792	45,776	31,807	59,061	41,745
Services-producing	21,451	20,874	31,224	25,863	24,975	22,794	36,434	32,420
Wholesale and retail trade	10,834	16,197	32,737	19,539	16,353	17,785	31,962	25,147
Transportation and warehousing	62,767	32,853	24,000	35,965	42,932	33,544	47,785	43,998
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental & leasing	26,507	28,900	15,805	39,623	26,196	34,082	45,022	40,889
Professional, scientific and technical services	18,000	30,003	49,073	45,400	22,275	34,467	39,997	42,081
Educational services	26,813	28,304	43,131	31,057	30,347	30,442	44,352	40,291
Health care and social assistance	24,230	27,750	34,701	31,877	33,578	29,822	37,270	37,303
Accommodation and food services	12,870	9,634	6,232	9,273	10,101	9,814	21,770	13,372
Other services (except public administration)	33,280	23,523	33,096	19,594	33,134	22,214	33,351	23,947
Public administration	27,024	26,009	45,089	55,422	26,185	31,062	53,359	56,189

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EARNINGS BY SKILL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

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HOW DOES EDUCATION IMPACT EARNINGS?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: FIRST NATIONS		ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: METIS		ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: TOTAL ABORIGINAL		NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
EMPLOYMENT INCOME, AGES 64 - 2010 AMONG THOSE WORKING 40+ WEEKS MOSTLY FULL-TIME								
Total, among those working 40+ weeks mostly full-time	1,110	24,040	860	15,325	2,065	40,945	15,490	1,032,060
Average earnings ($)	50,710	42,951	67,083	52,017	58,009	46,754	69,503	57,549
Median earnings ($)	42,380	37,782	53,448	45,064	47,927	41,110	60,679	49,208
Female:male earnings ratio %	57.3	83.2	49.4	67.9	54.1	75.4	60.8	76.6
No certificate, diploma, or degree (number)	310	4,120	125	1,630	495	6,050	2,320	66,535
Average earnings ($)	50,455	33,647	60,616	45,859	54,547	37,480	63,194	42,290
Median earnings ($)	38,332	28,298	69,826	41,371	42,848	32,412	56,946	38,000
Female:male earnings ratio %	40.1	74.6	173.9	65.1	39.2	69.6	53.4	69.0
With high school diploma or equivalency certificate (number)	235	6,260	225	4,135	525	10,710	4,235	244,725
Average earnings ($)	42,120	39,684	64,331	45,662	51,966	42,013	67,458	49,073
Median earnings ($)	38,344	35,515	47,285	39,193	43,159	36,650	56,876	42,657
Female:male earnings ratio %	90.3	79.9	45.0	63.6	61.7	73.3	59.8	76.5
With other trades certificate or diploma (number)	50	2,000	45	1,255	100	3,360	1,240	54,220
Average earnings ($)	47,550	42,387	73,612	50,809	59,637	46,121	68,380	49,017
Median earnings ($)	33,534	36,225	47,504	44,891	45,139	39,146	62,596	44,360
Female:male earnings ratio %	63.2	70.6	68.1	55.5	87.1	68.0	53.6	68.5
With registered apprenticeship certificate (number)	100	1,570	150	1,560	260	3,255	2,010	63,865
Average earnings ($)	44,864	46,527	79,080	55,465	64,270	51,203	76,614	60,182
Median earnings ($)	35,984	42,964	79,951	50,889	55,734	47,619	72,004	56,705
Female:male earnings ratio %	84.8	60.9	*	55.6	40.9	58.4	41.6	57.4
With college or other non-university cert or diploma (number)	250	5,615	235	3,820	490	9,740	3,160	214,340
Average earnings ($)	57,385	41,383	63,462	50,659	60,816	45,435	70,645	54,295
Median earnings ($)	53,927	37,587	49,616	44,840	55,740	40,545	57,790	47,956
Female:male earnings ratio %	53.4	78.8	34.5	70.6	47.6	74.7	60.5	72.6
With university certificate, diploma or degree (number)	105	4,480	80	2,930	195	7,840	2,520	388,380
Average earnings ($)	64,608	57,029	68,888	64,857	66,998	60,506	72,203	68,602
Median earnings ($)	62,689	53,015	53,323	60,501	62,475	56,625	63,558	58,029
Female:male earnings ratio %	59.3	81.9	47.7	75.9	57.2	76.5	72.4	80.0

WHAT'S THE RETURN ON HIGHER SKILLS?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: FIRST NATIONS		ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: METIS		ABORIGINAL PEOPLES: TOTAL		NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
FOR THOSE AGE 15+ WORKING 40+ WEEKS MOSTLY FULL-TIME								
Median employment income - 2010 ($)								
Management ($)	44,397	49,633	50,110	48,810	45,509	49,527	59,927	60,021
Professionals ($)	40,038	52,093	73,615	69,337	59,654	57,242	72,011	67,474
Technical & other high skilled occupations ($)	61,787	37,674	53,099	45,524	56,660	41,066	61,013	41,453
Intermediate & less skilled occupations ($)	32,063	29,297	35,665	33,030	33,890	30,572	44,150	36,578
Males, median employment income - 2010 ($)								
Management ($)	47,492	51,495	82,747	59,861	74,220	55,770	88,272	65,916
Professionals ($)	74,176	59,189	67,532	68,182	70,660	64,593	81,751	72,797
Technical & other high skilled occupations ($)	67,423	43,219	80,155	54,961	74,396	48,662	74,018	54,048
Intermediate & less skilled occupations ($)	40,195	32,792	39,516	41,200	42,282	35,329	56,370	41,545
Female:male earnings ratio %								
Management (%)	106.7	90.2	44.8	68.2	52.2	75.3	66.2	78.0
Professionals (%)	50.8	84.1	110.0	97.1	67.7	83.1	74.5	87.2
Technical & other high skilled occupations (%)	65.2	78.7	47.2	69.5	53.0	73.0	60.6	75.5
Intermediate & less skilled occupations (%)	57.5	78.8	76.8	72.3	60.1	78.1	59.6	77.7

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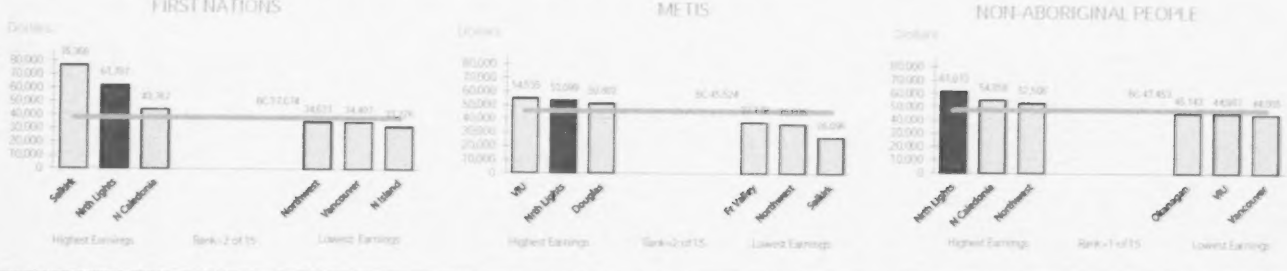

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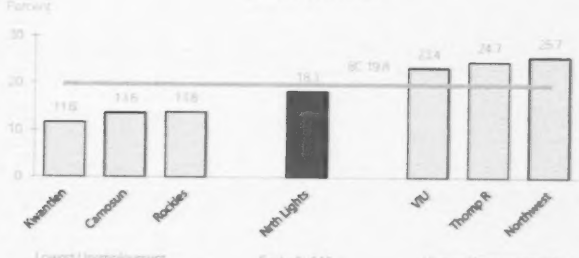
WHAT IS THE UNEMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE - MAY 2011								
Age 15+ - both sexes	18.3	19.8	7.1	10.5	13.4	16.4	5.6	7.4
Males	21.7	23.3	7.8	10.9	15.8	18.7	6.2	7.6
Females	14.5	16.2	6.3	10.1	10.8	14.0	4.9	7.1
No certificate, diploma, or degree	23.2	29.4	16.2	17.0	19.9	25.6	10.0	13.7
With high school diploma or equivalency certificate	17.9	20.0	6.0	10.7	11.7	16.6	5.4	8.3
With post-secondary completion	13.8	14.6	*	8.3	9.0	12.1	4.2	5.8
Registered apprenticeship certificate	6.5	18.9	*	8.3	4.3	14.2	6.2	6.7
Other trades certificate or diploma	26.7	27.4	*	9.0	20.1	18.5	4.6	7.3
College, other non-university cert or diploma	8.0	12.6	*	9.7	5.3	11.3	5.0	5.9
University certificate, diploma or degree	15.4	9.6	*	6.9	8.8	8.4	3.2	5.5

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLE, AGE 15+, MAY 2011

FIRST NATIONS



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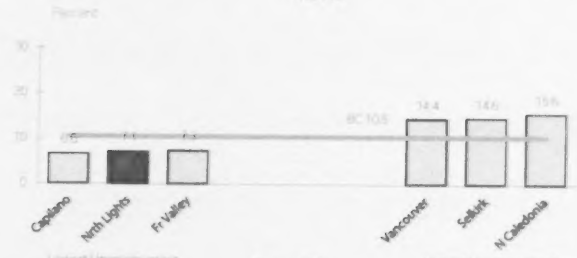

HOW DOES AGE AND EDUCATION IMPACT UNEMPLOYMENT?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE - MAY 2011								
Age 15-24 - both sexes	19.9	26.7	14.3	15.7	17.0	22.8	7.5	15.5
With less than HS Graduation[1]	25.0	36.5	22.2	20.0	24.7	31.4	10.1	20.4
With High School Graduation & higher	14.5	22.1	6.1	14.0	11.3	19.1	6.4	14.5
Age 20-24 - both sexes	14.6	26.2	16.3	15.5	14.4	22.3	5.9	13.8
With less than HS Graduation[1]	*	40.4	*	21.1	20.9	34.9	15.0	21.0
With High School Graduation & higher	16.4	22.3	*	14.4	12.6	19.3	4.5	13.3
Age 25-34 - both sexes	16.2	21.8	4.3	9.4	11.0	17.2	4.0	7.2
With less than HS Graduation[1]	22.5	33.3	*	17.9	18.2	29.1	11.2	13.8
With High School Graduation	21.2	23.1	*	11.2	13.6	19.1	3.7	8.2
With Completed Post-secondary[2]	*	15.8	*	6.8	4.0	12.3	2.4	6.2
Registered apprenticeship certificate	*	20.9	*	8.0	*	15.8	2.9	7.4
Other trades certificate or diploma	*	24.7	*	2.0	*	19.2	*	7.2
College, other non-university cert or diploma	*	14.6	*	5.1	*	11.2	3.2	6.4
University certificate, diploma or degree	*	9.5	*	6.3	*	9.0	2.2	6.0
Age 35-54 - both sexes	17.6	17.2	5.5	8.9	12.7	14.2	5.9	5.5
With less than HS Graduation[1]	10.9	26.0	9.3	16.3	16.2	23.4	8.5	10.5
With High School Graduation	17.8	17.2	11.4	8.1	13.5	13.9	6.9	5.7
With Completed Post-secondary[2]	12.9	13.7	*	7.3	7.0	11.3	4.6	4.9
Registered apprenticeship certificate	*	16.4	*	7.4	*	12.5	6.6	5.2
Other trades certificate or diploma	41.4	24.0	*	6.8	27.5	18.0	6.0	6.4
College, other non-university cert or diploma	5.5	11.2	*	8.4	*	10.2	5.8	4.9
University certificate, diploma or degree	*	9.9	*	6.2	*	8.4	*	4.6

[1] Includes those with incomplete post-secondary where high school graduation has not been achieved.
[2] Includes non-high school graduates with completed post-secondary credentials.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLE AGE 35-54 WITH HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION - MAY 2011

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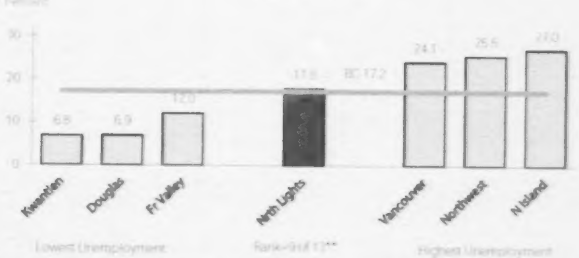

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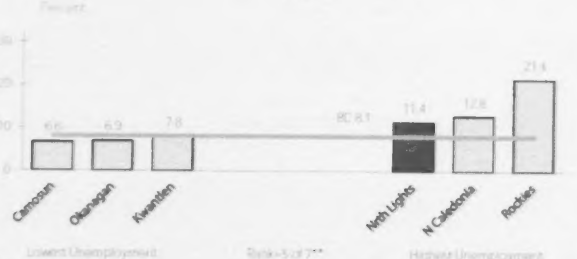

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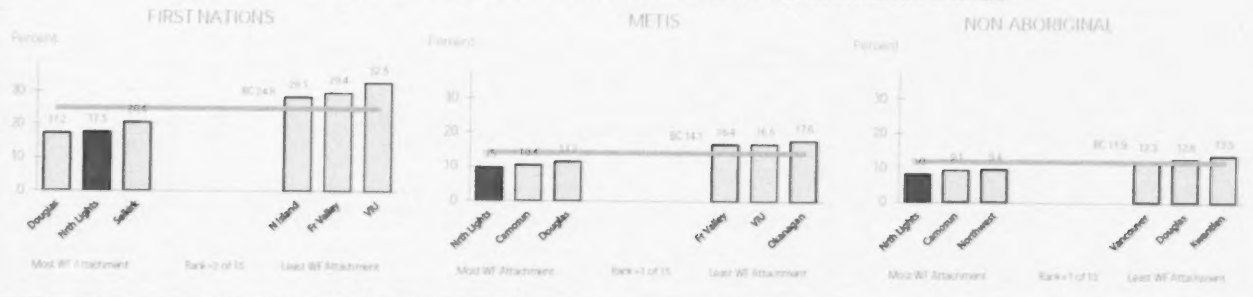
OTHER WORKFORCE ISSUES OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

College Region 10 - Northern Lights

WHAT'S THE LEVEL OF WORKFORCE ATTACHMENT?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
LACK OF WORKFORCE ATTACHMENT								
Worked before 2010 or never worked: Age 15+ (number)	1,270	40,120	475	13,475	1,750	55,530	8,080	1,061,560
% of age 25-54	17.5	24.8	9.5	14.1	14.0	21.2	8.0	11.9
% of males	14.1	21.4	5.4	11.0	10.5	17.9	3.8	7.8
% of females	20.3	27.7	12.8	16.8	17.4	24.0	12.7	15.7
% of age 25-34	20.3	25.2	10.3	11.0	16.0	20.5	7.7	10.6
% of age 35-54	16.1	24.6	8.6	15.6	12.9	21.5	8.1	12.4
% of age 15-24	31.6	44.1	25.2	27.1	28.6	38.8	19.9	31.3
% of males	33.3	44.0	27.8	29.5	31.6	39.6	15.5	32.5
% of females	29.7	44.2	22.7	24.8	25.4	38.1	24.5	30.0
% of age 15-19	47.0	57.0	33.7	39.2	42.1	51.6	28.0	46.7
% of age 20-24	15.7	28.9	14.1	12.3	14.1	23.7	12.2	16.3

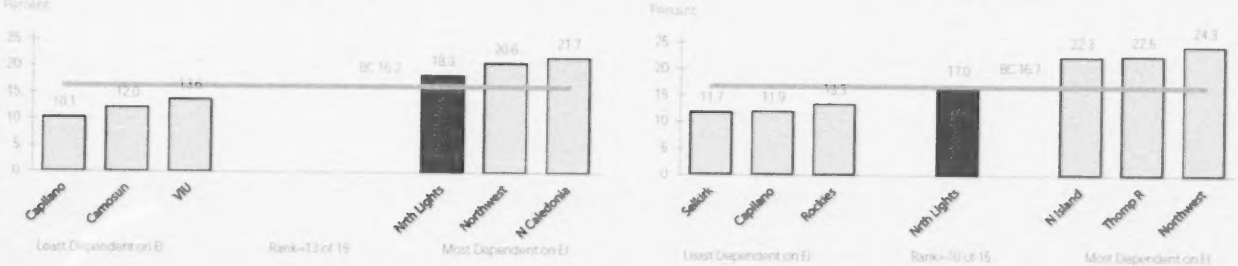
% OF POPULATION AGE 25-54 WHO WORKED BEFORE 2010 OR NEVER WORKED



IS EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BRIDGING THE GAP?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	FIRST NATIONS		METIS		TOTAL ABORIGINAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
% of Paid workers Age 15+ in 2010 receiving EI	18.3	16.2	17.0	16.7	17.2	16.4	13.0	12.1
% of Males	20.7	19.9	17.0	17.4	18.4	18.3	12.1	11.8
% of Females	15.7	13.7	17.5	16.1	15.9	14.6	14.0	12.4
% of age 15-24	13.6	11.2	10.1	11.2	11.9	11.4	9.2	7.7
% of age 25-34	16.4	20.0	20.6	22.8	17.7	20.9	18.7	18.1
% of age 35-54	22.5	17.8	23.6	18.5	21.9	18.0	12.6	12.0

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE RECIPIENTS AS A PERCENT OF PAID WORKERS AGE 15+ 2010



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OTHER INFLUENCING FACTORS ON WELL-BEING OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2011

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IS INCOME ADEQUATE?

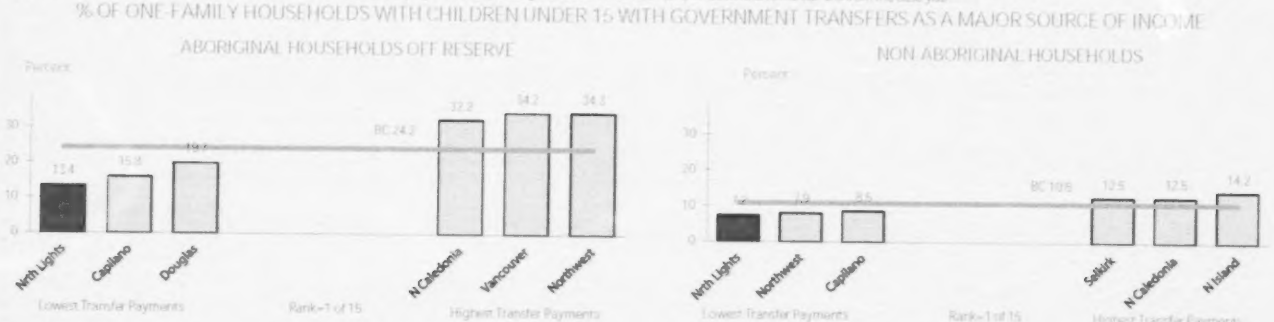
	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	ON RESERVE		OFF RESERVE		TOTAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
Families[1] (number) 2011	655	14,785	2,955	64,705	3,615	79,490	14,975	1,159,220
By Income Levels in 2010 (before tax)								
% income less than $20,000	#	#	8.3	11.5	#	#	5.2	7.8
% $20,000 - $39,999	#	#	11.5	18.5	#	#	10.6	15.4
% $40,000 and over	#	#	82.2	70.0	#	#	84.0	76.8
% $40,000 - $69,999	#	#	18.8	25.9	#	#	19.5	24.7
% $70,000 and over	#	#	63.6	44.0	#	#	64.5	52.1
Median family income ($)	#	#	87,923	62,351	#	#	90,892	72,896
% of families at or below low income[2]	#	#	9.0	17.3	#	#	5.4	12.1
Families with children under 19 (number)	405	8,130	1,660	32,710	2,065	40,835	7,265	471,370
% at or below low income[2] 2010	#	#	11.4	24.5	#	#	6.7	16.8
Lone Parent Families with children under 19 (number)	145	3,400	370	9,730	525	13,130	1,405	101,385
% at or below low income[2] 2010	#	#	28.4	49.2	#	#	16.4	34.1
Among one-family households with children under 15[3] (mean)	245	4,165	1,385	24,905	1,635	29,075	5,220	300,325
Major source of income 2010								
From employment income (%)	#	#	84.8	73.9	#	#	93.1	85.4
From government transfers (%)	#	#	13.4	24.2	#	#	7.2	10.8
From other income (%)	#	#	2.2	1.9	#	#	1.7	3.5

Because data on total income levels and income sources are not comparable between reserve populations and non-reserve populations, only the data for non-reserve Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal populations are included.

[1] Includes families/households without income.

[2] Low income cut-offs (LICOs) are defined as income levels below which a family is likely to spend 20 percentage points more of its income on food, shelter, and clothing than the average family. There are different cut-offs for different family and community sizes. Based on the 1992 Family Expenditure Survey, families spent 50% on average of their total income on necessities. The threshold was thus set to the income level where families spent 70% of their income on necessities. Cut-offs for other years are indexed by applying the corresponding Consumer Price Index (CPI) inflation rate to the cut-offs from the base year.

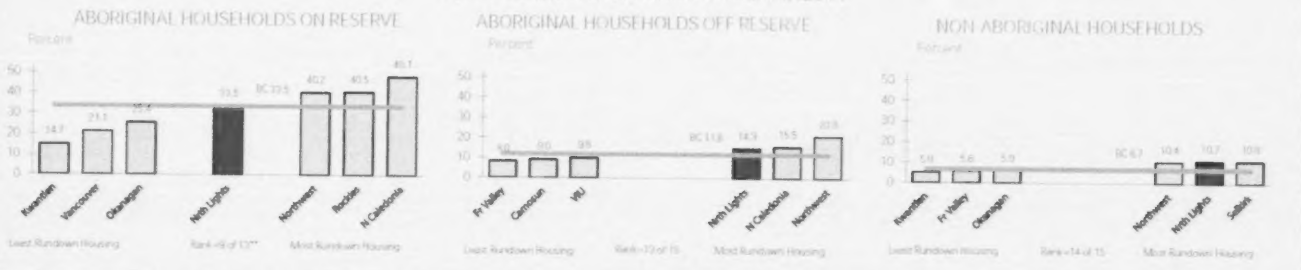
% OF ONE-FAMILY HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN UNDER 15 WITH GOVERNMENT TRANSFERS AS A MAJOR SOURCE OF INCOME



WHAT IS THE IMPACT OF LIVING CONDITIONS?

	ABORIGINAL PEOPLES						NON-ABORIGINAL PEOPLES	
	ON RESERVE		OFF RESERVE		TOTAL			
	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.	NRTH LIGHTS	B.C.
Census families with children under 15 (number) 2011	405	8,130	1,660	32,710	2,065	40,835	7,265	471,370
% of total families	61.8	55.0	56.2	50.6	57.1	51.4	48.5	40.7
% that are lone parent families	35.8	41.8	22.3	29.7	25.4	32.2	19.3	21.5
Average household size 2011	2.9	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.4
% Multiple family households	6.6	8.5	1.9	2.5	2.7	3.4	1.4	2.8
Crowding - households with > 1 person per room	50	1,025	120	2,190	170	3,215	290	44,560
% of total households that are crowded	8.0	6.8	3.0	2.4	3.5	2.9	1.4	2.7
% of one-family hhlds with children < 15 that are crowded	10.2	9.2	5.1	4.0	5.8	4.7	3.3	5.7
Housing quality 2011								
% In good condition	27.5	33.7	53.8	59.3	49.3	55.2	60.0	70.9
% Needing minor repair	38.9	32.8	31.3	28.9	32.7	29.5	29.2	22.4
% Needing major repair	33.5	33.5	14.9	11.6	18.1	15.3	10.7	6.7

% OF HOUSING NEEDING MAJOR REPAIR 2011



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